

REPORT FLOUR ON HAND BY MAY 1 TO CO. FOOD OFFICER

HOUSEHOLDERS MUST COMPLY WITH ORDER

**Whether You have Ten Pounds or
Ten Ounces of Wheat Flour on
Hand, Let Officer Know**

**Reports for Crow Wing Made to County Food
Administrator Andrew E. Berglund
of Brainerd**

Andrew E. Berglund of Brainerd, County Food Administrator of Crow Wing county, is daily receiving reports from householders anxious to comply with the recent ruling of the Food Administration that all householders report the amount of wheat flour on hand.

Already reports have been received from many sections of the county, and householders should not delay but send in the report at once, whether ten pounds or a few ounces of flour on hand. The reports should be sent to Andrew E. Berglund, County Food Administrator, Brainerd. All reports should be in his hands before May 1.



ANDREW E. BERGLUND
County Food Administrator, Brainerd

Reports mean written reports, no telephone reports can be accepted. The list of householders of the county will be compiled and kept on file.

To date one household reported 1100 pound of wheat flour on hand. Three or more had 800 pounds each. The government allowance is but six pounds of wheat flour per month for each person. To date 73,000 pounds of excess flour has been returned to retailers and mills.

Fill out your report today. The return can be made on the form printed elsewhere in this issue of the Dispatch.

American College Girls Are Heroines

(By United Press)
City in France, April 30—Sixteen American girls of the Smith college unit are heroines of the recent Somme fighting. The girls were under shell fire, were bombed several times, and remained in the towns of the evacuated region as long as possible to assist the helpless.

British Casualty List is Large

(By United Press)
London April 30—The casualty lists printed during April show 1686 officers and 8,169 men killed. The total of other casualties is 53,290, the largest since January.

Russia Preparing to Re-enter the War

BY JOSEPH SHAPLEN,
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Petrograd, April 24, delayed—Russia is preparing in a serious manner to re-enter the war. Trotsky's plans for universal military training have been officially accepted. Peasants and workers will be required to train when needed, the other classes have already been called. If the allies hold until spring Russia will be ready to strike with new fresh millions, sealing the doom of Germany. The Russian slogan now is to return to the war as soon as possible.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Counter Revolution Reported in Russia

(By United Press)
Stockholm, April 30—Newspaper dispatches report the counter revolution in Petrograd pronounced the Brest Litovsk peace pact unacceptable and demands a new treaty leaving Estonia under Russia.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Food Riots in Cracow, Poland

(By United Press)
Copenhagen, April 30—The food famine in Cracow, Poland is causing serious riots. Reports that the Jews were hoarding food caused the mobs to plunder stores. Several were killed.

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German Anti-Slav Demonstrations in Vienna

(By United Press)
Rome, April 30—German anti Slav demonstrations in Vienna favoring a strike for a union with Germany are continuing.

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Violent Artillerying on Both Sides

(By United Press)
Paris, April 30—An official statement says there is violent artillerying on both sides.

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Pacifist and Socialist Elected in Berlin

(By United Press)
Amsterdam, April 30—Herr Barthe, a pacifist and socialist was elected to the Berlin municipal council.

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Liberty Loan Subscription

(By United Press)
Washington, April 30—With four days to go, the Liberty Loan reached \$4,413,442,000, or an increase of \$2 million since last night.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DR. J. H. FINLEY
New Yorker Who Will Head
Red Cross Work in Palestine.



Dr. John H. Finley, commissioner of education for the state of New York, it is announced unofficially, will be the head of the Red Cross work in Palestine. The Red Cross has made comprehensive plans for the relief of the people of the Holy Land, who for centuries have suffered under Turkish rule, and recently were rescued through the British conquest of Jerusalem. "The initial work of the Red Cross commission," says the announcement, "will be to establish in Palestine four medical units to combat typhus, cholera and other diseases. A fully equipped hospital will be established."

Yesterday Was Von Hindenburg's Bad Day

(By United Press)
With the British Afield in Flanders, April 30—Hindenburg has had one of the worst days since the commencement of the offensive. After repeated assaults yesterday and last night the allied lines everywhere are intact, except between Modts Rouge and Scherpenberg where the situation is somewhat obscure.

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Germans Active on American Front

(By United Press)
With the American Army in Lorraine, April 30—The recently renewed German artillery activity here is taken to mean that the Germans are seeking to force a concentration on the American front. A violent artillery duel occurred on Sunday.

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Germans Defeated in There Last Desperate Attack

(By United Press)

The defeat administered in Flanders by the combined British and French compelled the Germans to resort to another breathing spell. The enemy opened the battle yesterday with an intense bombardment. All day and night the Germans hacked and buffeted at the allied positions, and failed to gain anything. Today Haig reported the front comparatively quiet. Thus this most desperate German attempt in several days failed. The allies retain the initiative in Picardy.

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Germans are Completely Halted in Flanders

(By United Press)

London, April 30—The Germans are completely halted in their desperate attacks on a wide front in Flanders designed to force the evacuation of Ypres, Haig reported. The northern battle front is comparatively quiet following the heavy repulse inflicted upon the enemy yesterday and last night. It showed the enemy exhausted by his terrific pace and enormous casualties. Haig also reported the French successfully counter attacked near Loire, restoring all the positions in Picardy. The British pushed the Germans back slightly east of the village of Bretonneux.

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LIBERTY LOAN \$640,000

The official date set by the United States government for closing the sale of Liberty Bonds is May 4th. In Minnesota the canvass was closed yesterday, but there are always a few who hold off to the end, or who require several calls before deciding just how strong they should come in, or who may have been overlooked, and so a few extra days are needed to wind up the work. That is the work now going on. In some of the canvassing districts soliciting is completed.

At the office of County Chairman Carl Zapffe all records are now being received and checked over. It appears that out of all the separately organized units nearly everyone went over its allotment. The total now subscribed, as near as can be calculated is \$640,000. The final total, when determined, will exceed this figure. Ross Lake and Maple Grove townships have joined the list of those doubling their allotment. This is particularly good for Ross Lake—like Lake Edward township, because no meetings of any kind have ever been held there.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Americans Soldiers Like the French

(By United Press)

With the Americans in Lorraine, April 30—The national army men arriving here from America are bringing high spirits and additional numerical strength. They are clean cut, strong, healthy, unboastful and confident, and anxious to get at the Germans. The men are enraptured with the French and there is much fraternizing with the residents. Some of the men are already engaged to French girls and will take them back to the United States when the war is over.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Bills Introduced to Increase Army

Washington, April 30—Bills have been introduced in the senate providing for a large increase in the American army. Poindexter's bill provides for one and one-half million additional men for the national army, and Reed's provides increasing the army by three million.

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AUTO RUN TO WALKER N. M. D. A. JUNE 8TH

**75 Cars Expected in Line, Pilot Car
with John F. Woodhead and F. T.
Lincoln to Make Run**

Pamphlet to be Compiled Giving Business Interests and Personnel of Parties Making the Tour

C. S. WILLIAMS
Who Has Been Made Admiral
in the U. S. Navy.



C. S. Williams, United States navy, now an admiral, having been recently advanced from the rank of rear admiral.

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Much interest is being shown in the proposed auto run, under the direction of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, to Walker, Minnesota, on June 8th, the second day of the Northern Minnesota Development association convention in that city and the prospects are that there will be at least 75 cars in line making this delightful trip over the Scenic Highway to the city made famous by Senator P. H. McGarry and other live wires of Cass county.

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THE WEATHER**Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:**

Milder.
Cooperative observer's record, at 7
p. m.:
April 29—Maximum 40, minimum
35. Reading in evening, 40. Cloudy.
North wind. Rain precipitation 0.35
inch.
April 30—Minimum for the night,
28.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,
gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Telephone North-
west 74.

Miss Mary Wicks went to Duluth
this afternoon.
Mrs. A. D. Polk went to Minneapo-
lis this afternoon.

For Spring Water phone 264. If
Miss May Whiteley was injured in
an automobile accident.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll went
to Minneapolis this morning.

Clark's for your wait paper. 251tf

Miss Edna Moork of Aitkin is a
guest of Miss Marion McGinn.
Duncan Eaglesome, of Woodrow,
was a Brainerd visitor today.

For sale, Minnows, 309 Third Ave.
Phone 900-J. 278tf

Attorney E. H. Kreitz of Aitkin
was in the city on legal matters.

Mrs. Joseph Smith and Mrs. Frank
McGuire of Deerwood were in the city
today.

Buy a Nettleton home today.
Then get hens, scratch round and pay

Today is the last day to pay your
water rates for the second quarter
and get the discount.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Rev. P. Alfred Peterson of the
Swedish Baptist church went to Deer-
wood this afternoon.

Eyes examined, glasses fitted. Dr.
E. E. Long, Ransford Bldg. 179tf

Miss May Miller of Fargo, N. D.,
is a guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Joseph N. Miller.

Why pay rent when you can own
your home on Nettleton's plan. 27915

Mrs. Caroline Grandsmyer is re-
gaining her health and this afternoon
enjoyed a walk in the warm sunshine.

Henry I. Cohen was up from Brainerd
Tuesday to look after business in-
terests.—Backus Department Hack-
ensack News.

Little home, big lots, easy pay.
If you take the Nettleton way. 27812

Charles Peterson of 623 Pine street
has sold his home and has bought a

residence and several lots in North-
east Brainerd.

Plant new pantries, finest we ever
had now ready. P. A. Erickson,
1103 E. Quince St. S. E. 27516

Doris Bailey came up from Brainerd
Saturday to spend Sunday at the
Bailey home.—Backus Department of
Hackensack News.

Buy Nettleton lots, garden and
chickens. Enjoy life, to beat the
dickens. 11

Mr. and Mrs. Cass McFarland of
St. Paul were visitors of Mr. and Mrs.
J. E. Jackson. Mr. McFarland is a
nephew of Mrs. Jackson.

Buy your cement blocks of Ritari.
Let us bid on your job. 276-1m

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood and Mrs.
B. J. Gallup visited with friends in
Brainerd Sunday. Going down and
back via auto.—Hackensack News

The rains of Saturday and Sunday
have worked wonders in bringing the
color to vegetation and aiding crops
generally throughout the county.

Vacuum cleaner for rent, Brainerd
Electric Co., Phone N. W. 179, Auto-
matic 6012. 263tf

The Knights of Columbus lodge
service flag carries 35 stars. Three
more are to be added on this week to
cover new members joining the colors.

For bargains in houses and lots,
see J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 226tf

Mrs. McDonald came down from
Brainerd Monday afternoon for a vis-
it with friends and to attend to busi-
ness matters here.—Royallon Banner

The Thirteenth street trap near
Oak was too much for Frank Alexan-
der's Ford and he broke a rear shock
absorber. Other cars broke springs,
etc.

D. M. Clark & Co. has a full line of
Lawn Grass and Garden Seed. 263tf

There will be practice at 6 o'clock
this evening at the Keoring grounds
and all making the Brainerd Red
Cross team are expected to be on
hand.

Pansy plants, the best grown, now
ready at P. A. Erickson's, 1103 E.
Quince St. S. E. 275-16

Howard M. Currie, mechanical su-
perintendent of the Northern Pacific
railway, and party in Business Car
No. 10, are in the city on company
business.

Time to plant your flowering
shrubs and Perennials. Get your
supply from the Brainerd Green-
house Co., corner Main and 6th. N.
W. Phone 774. 276tf

T. H. Blackburn, whose wheel was
stolen from near the shops, says he
has not recovered it, that a wheel
found down town at a hardware store
was not his.

Bargains in homes & lots, Nettleton.
230tf

Mrs. William McChesney and Mrs.
James Hodgdon of Baneville, Mont.,
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker,
returned home yesterday after a
pleasant visit here.

Nettleton sells homes easy pay plan.
Get one now, pay as you can.
Renting is all right.

When you can't do better,
But your wife wants to buy,
Then why not let her. 11

R. B. Hamilton has bought the
Charles Peterson bungalow located on
the south side on the corner of Pine
and South Seventh streets. He ex-
pects to move in Wednesday.

The water and light board held its
regular monthly meeting on Monday
evening. Routine business including
payrolls came up for consideration.
All board members were present.

Pathe Records. The Quality Rec-
ord. W. J. Hall, Imperial Bldg.
250126

Mike Sorak, born in Austria, em-
ployed at Crosby, died of appendi-
citis at a hospital and the funeral
will be held Friday at Crosby. He
leaves a wife and an uncle named
Nick Sorak.

For a first class job of Oxy-Acety-
lene welding go to Herbert Peterson
at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 13tf

Major W. Haverstick of Washing-
ton, D. C., inspector of federal build-
ings and equipment, is examining the
postoffice. The major is the hero of
the adventure recorded yesterday
wherein he embarked on a range bus
believing he was on a Brainerd hotel
bus. He spoke about the size of
Brainerd as the bus rambled on and
when four miles from Ironton in-
quired of the driver if he would ever
make the Brainerd hotel. There was
nothing to do but stay with the bus
and so he spent the night at an
Ironton hotel and arrived in Brainerd
by train next morning.

WARNING TO FISHERMEN—If
you want to make a real catch, in-
spect the up-to-date, honest priced
fishing tackle at D. M. Clark & Co's.
With every 50c purchase you get
free, one chance on that genuine
level winding, free spool, anti-back
lash \$20 Pflieger Fishing Reel to be
given away free. 277tf

—BUY W. S. S.—
AUTO RUN TO WALKER
N. M. D. A. JUNE 5TH
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unless the driver can repair his car
himself.

Up to Brainerd
The fact that Brainerd is the head-
quarters of the N. M. D. A. and that
it is receiving wide publicity all over
the country as a result, is expected
to enlist the interest of a large num-
ber of people who will plan to make
this auto run. Walker is making
great preparations for the entertain-
ment of the visitors and it will be two
days well spent with an interesting
program, boat rides on Leech lake,
fish dinners on one of the beautiful
islands in that sheet of water, and
other entertainments.

Wide Publicity
It may be decided to make the auto
run on the 7th, thus giving those an
opportunity to spend two days at
Walker instead of one. Wide pub-
licity has been given this convention
and the secretary states that large
parties are coming by auto from No.
Dakota, Duluth, the Twin Cities and
other towns. It is felt that Brainerd
should make a good showing and auto
owners are urged to make their plans
early and to advise the secretary, if
they expect to make the tour.

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BRAINERD'S ODDEST
STORIES OF TODAY

The story is told of a stranger
who boarded the Cuyuna range
bus at the depot at midnight
with the idea that he was a
passenger on a hotel bus.

After traveling half an hour,
he hailed the driver and said:
"I've always heard that Brainerd
was quite a town but I never
supposed it took so long to
make a hotel."

The driver informed him he
was now within four miles of
the Spina hotel at Ironton. And
he stayed that night and made
Brainerd next morning.

The Little Falls Transcript
in an editorial has this to say:
"The city of Brainerd has an or-
dinance forbidding the cutting
across lots, thus spoiling lawns
and boulevards. When the or-
dinance was up for consideration
not an alderman voted against
it. Little Falls could well
enact legislation of this nature.
The library lawn and boule-
vards are fast becoming public
walks for many and several pri-
vate property owners have had
more or less trouble through
persons walking on the lawns
and boulevards.

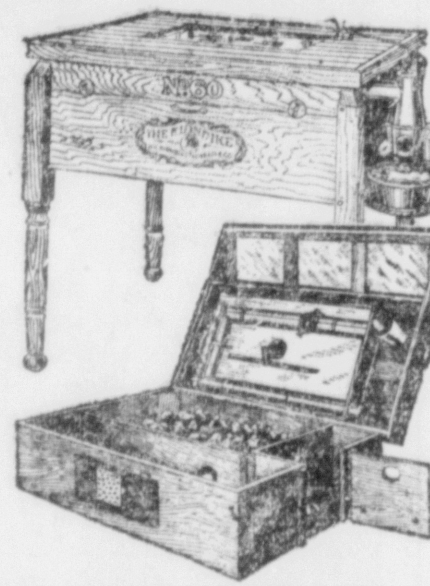
Get Ready for a Rainy Day

Raincoats, Rubbers

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We Have the Good Ones. Let us Show You.

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THE STORE OF QUALITY

**THE KLONDIKE****The Successful HOT WATER INCUBATOR**

Handsomely Finished--Highest Grade Construction.

If You are going to buy an Incubator this spring it
will pay you to come in and look over the KLON-
DIKE. Sold under a positive guarantee.

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

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GIRLS SHOW COURAGE

Party of Americans Braves Shell
Fire and Bombs.

Smith College Unit Wins Admiration
by Aiding Wounded Soldiers
Close to Battle Front.

Somewhere in France, April 25.—
(By Courier to Paris April 30.)—Dur-
ing the recent German advance Amer-
ican college girls displayed extreme
bravery and played conspicuous roles.

Nineteen of them now are quarter-
ed in a certain French town where
this dispatch is written, but they are
still "carrying on," doing what they
can do to alleviate the lot of French
and English speaking wounded, in the
hospitals and passing through. The
girls are members of a unit from
Smith college.

On March 29 they were at Grey-
court. On the 21st the battle had
progressed so far the windows of
their houses began to rattle with the
thunder of the oncoming guns. Civ-
ilians evacuated the place hurriedly
and the girls were transported by
automobiles, one party to Verdaines,
and another to Espery-Hallon. They
took milk and food for old refugees
and children. They were everywhere.
Many a French family will never
forget them.

They were warned to leave Wick,
but a number of British officers who
had been two days without food came
into the town, so the American girls
stopped another 24 hours and fed all
that came earning their everlasting
gratitude. Finally they arrived at
Montdidier by way of Roye, which
was being evacuated.

They set up a temporary children's
hospital in a Montdidier hotel, cook-
ing for and serving every hungry
refugee and soldier who passed by.
—BUY W. S. S.—

Porto Rico Later Conditions Bad.
Washington, April 30.—Investiga-
tion of labor conditions in Porto Rico
by the national War Labor board has
been asked of Secretary Wilson by
Santiago Iglesias, Porto Rican organ-
izer of the American Federation of
Labor. The organizer charged that
conditions are more intolerable in
many instances than under Spanish
rule. He gave figures showing an av-
erage pay of wage earners of 62 cents
a day, and declared many Porto Ri-
cans are starving.

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zines, Bags, Hides and Furs, highest
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sured all who trade with me. Call
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407 So. 7th St., Brainerd, Minn.

Do Something Better Than the Other Fellow--- and ADVERTISE

Advertising cannot accomplish the impossible
any more than barren ground can yield rich crop.

But how advertising does make things hum
when the product and proposition are right, the
men and methods above board, when there's an
honest purpose and earnest effort from bundle
boy to general manager to serve efficiency, to
deal honestly, to sell good goods, to price fairly.

Oil up the machinery of your business, imbue
your organization with the spirit of true service,
make your business worthy of the good will,
the confidence, the patronage of the people.

In this fertile field then sow the seed of ad-
vertising and it will bring forth abundant crops
in increased business and augmented prestige.

Your store news in the Dispatch will be read
in practically every home in Brainerd and vicin-
ity every evening.

CLEAN-UP SEASON**For the Inside We Have**

T. L. Blood's paints and oils, Berry Brothers varnishes,
Liquid granite floor finishes, and Luxberry white enamel
finish, O' Cedar mops and oils and Liquid Veneer Furniture
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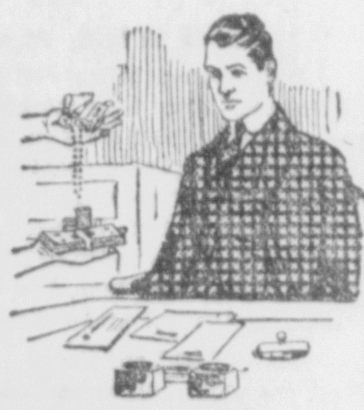
For the Outside

Shovels, rakes, hoes, spades, cultivators, wheel barrows
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Knowing Where Your Money Goes

On the stubs of your check book which this bank fur-
nishes you, or will be glad to furnish you if it is not doing so,
is written your financial history. These check stubs tell the
story of your receipts and expenditures.

Spending from the pocket is like scattering money to the four
winds; you know not whither it has gone, or what it went for.

But if you have the stubs of your check book to consult, your
position is fortified when claims for a second payment are made.

And if you would like to review your financial history of
months or years past, and determine where you could curtail a
little, your stubs and your canceled checks spread the story of
your expenditures before you in clean-cut characters.

And if it is your desire to create a surplus from your income,
you can watch where it goes, stop many a leak, and insure your
progress, by writing up you go along your financial history in a
check book which this bank will furnish you.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
BRAINERD, MINN.
INTEREST PAID ON TIME AND
SAVINGS DEPOSITS

A RAW, SORE THROAT

Eases Quickly When You Apply
a Little Muterole.

And Muterole won't blister like the
old-fashioned mustard plaster. Just
spread it on with your fingers. It pene-
trates to the sore spot with a gentle
tingle, loosens the congestion and draws
out the soreness and pain.

Muterole is a clean, white ointment
made with oil of mustard. It is fine for
quick relief from sore throat, bronchitis,
tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neu-
ralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy,
rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of
the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles,
bruises, chafes, frost-bite, colds on
the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).
Nothing like Muterole for croupy chil-
dren. Keep it handy for instant use.
30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



WOMAN'S REALM

\$100 FOR THE RED CROSS

Dance at Long Lake Hall Given by Daggett Brook Auxiliary on Saturday, April 27

THANK ALL WHO TOOK PART

Francis Fallon and Walter Dixon, Wallace Smart, Mrs. A. Gage and Other Ladies

The Red Cross dance at the Long Lake hall given by the Daggett Brook Auxiliary on Saturday evening, April 27, was well attended and every one reported an extra good time.

The dance netted the Auxiliary \$100. Those in charge wish to thank every one that helped make it such a successful event. They especially thank Francis Fallon and Walter Dixon for the management, Wallace Smart for the use of the hall, Mrs. A. Gage for help with the supper and the other ladies for helping with the supper.

—BUY W. S. S.— May Party

Tomorrow evening, May 1, in the social rooms of the Methodist church, the young people of the Epworth League will entertain their friends at a May Day party. There will be a good program. Refreshments will be served May Day style, and a jolly good time enjoyed. Following is the program:

Violin solo Harold Opsahl
Reading Blanche Chick
Vocal solo Irma Haake
Recitation Arden White
Tenor solo Stephen Nicholas
Dialog, "Educating to a Purpose" Ruth Pentin and Arthur Reid
Violin solo Fern Hitt
Recitation Clover Sablin
Solo Ruth Robinson
Instrumental Trio Misses Hazel and Jennie Keller, Paul Lockwood
—BUY W. S. S.—

Methodist Ladies Aid

Wednesday afternoon the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will be entertained in the social rooms of the church by Mrs. C. M. Richardson, Mrs. O. J. Bouma and Mrs. Stanley Vanek. This will be a May Day meeting. The penny contest will close at this time and every lady is requested to see that the penny strips issued to her are returned so that the captains may make a complete report. A prize will be awarded the one who has brought in the greatest distance in pennies, twelve pennies counting one foot. There is a surprise in store for the ladies at this meeting. Visitors are always welcome. The luncheon on this occasion will be one foot.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Church Meeting Wednesday

A meeting of the members of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the church. All members are requested to be present.

—BUY W. S. S.—

First Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid of the First Congregational church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. E. J. Cook on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Durham.

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412 Laurel St.

Fresh Eggs, per doz.	32c
Fresh creamery butter, per lb.	43c
Baker's chocolate, 1/2 lb. cake	19c
Fresh Shredded cocoanut, per lb.	33c
Mazola cooking oil, 1 gal. can	\$2.25
Mazola cooking oil, 1/2 gal. can	\$1.20
Mazola cooking oil, quart can	63c
Wisconsin peas, 2 cans	25c
Campbells soups, 3 cans	33c
Macaroni or spaghetti, 3 pkgs	25c
Wisconsin cream cheese, lb	27c
Fancy New York cream cheese lb	35c
Fancy navy beans, 3 lbs.	48c
Picnic Hams, per lb.	24c
Pure lard, per lb.	30c
Snow Drift or Socco, per lb	28c
Swift's Pride soap, 10 bars	48c
P. & S. or Fells Naptha soap, 10 bars for	65c

We Save You Money All the Time

Eagle Provision Co.

Honor Roll Service

Thursday evening at 8:15 at the Methodist church will occur a unique and original service, which will be a gathering of the relatives and friends of the soldier boys who have gone to the front from the Methodist church, some twenty-three in number.

At this time the pastor will give a short talk on "Soldiers of the Cross." Immediately following there will be personal mention made of each of the young men, and relatives and friends and all who would like to will have an opportunity to add a little something in the way of information about these boys. There will be special prayer made for the success of the war and the protection, both physically and spiritually of the young men on the battle front, their victorious return. Show your interest in these boys by being present Thursday evening at 8:15 at the Methodist church.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Peoples Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will give an ice cream and cake social on the lawn of the church Wednesday evening, May 1. If the weather will not permit it being held on the lawn the social rooms of the church will be used. Ice cream and cake, fifteen cents. Serving begins at six o'clock.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Boys Club Program

The Boys club of the Swedish Bethany church will give a patriotic musical program at the church on Friday evening at 7:45. The young boys are working hard to make this a success and an excellent program is now assured. Tickets are selling fast at but fifteen cents each.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Billie Burke and Her Career

Billie Burke, American born, graduate of a French convent, European Music Hall singer, vaudeville artiste, musical comedy favorite, dramatic actress, English leading lady and theatrical star in this country, has had a career which step by step has advanced her to the very pinnacle of popularity. Not the least of these steps was her entrance into the field of motion pictures for with that she became known to hundreds of thousands who had never had the opportunity of seeing her on the stage.

Beginning her theatrical career in the principal variety houses of Russia, France and other European countries, Miss Burke laid the foundations for the wide-spread popularity she now enjoys and gained the wide vision and metropolitanism wherein lies much of her charm at the present time.

This beauty and ability she has transferred with interest to the screen. Her first success was as "Peggy" which was followed by the serial, "Gloria's Romance." But it is under the banner of Paramount pictures that she has come into her own in the world of the photoplay, her first production for that company being "The Mysterious Miss Terry," by Gelett Burgess, and her second "Arms and the Girl," from the well-known stage version by Grant Stewart and Robert Baker.

"Arms and the Girl" is an intensely thrilling picture interspersed with Billie Burke's irrepressible humor and charm. It is a tale of the opening of the present great war and will recall the experiences of many Americans who were stranded in Europe as were the hero and heroine of the picture. Miss Burke in "Arms and the Girl" will appear at the Best theatre tonight.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Dougherty Circuit Stock Co.

Tonight will give the theatre goers of Brainerd the first chance to see the Dougherty Circuit Stock Company, which intends playing at the Park opera house every Tuesday for an extended series of engagements.

The play tonight will be a four act story of Quaker life in Pennsylvania in the year 1848. A strong plot, a beautiful love story and plenty of comedy, make a strong appeal to the lovers of drama.

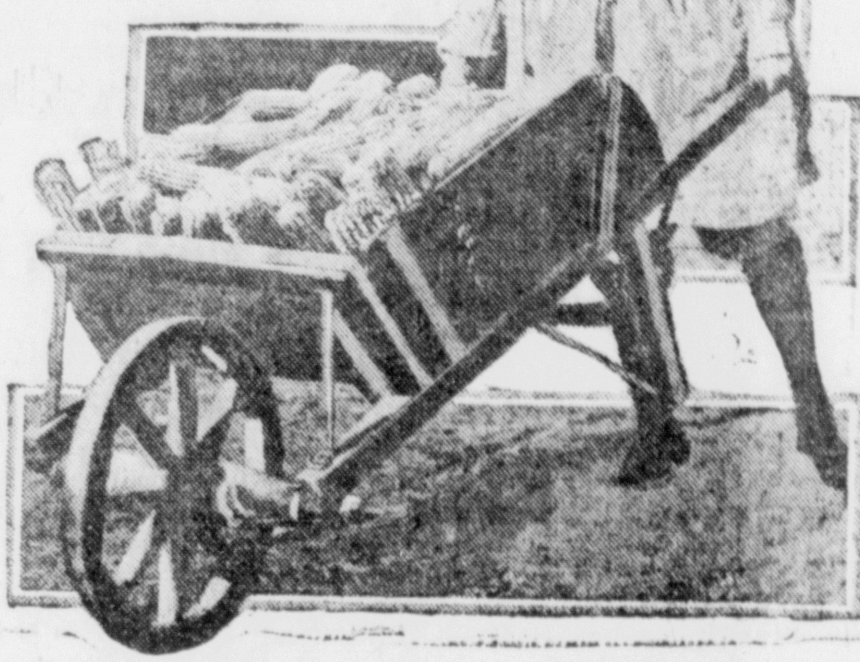
Vaudeville of the best type will be used between acts. The company has been highly recommended, and those who attend will be assured of a first class entertainment at light popular prices.

—BUY W. S. S.—



A Farmerette Bringing in the Corn

This farmerette is actually at work, rough work, as may be seen from the picture. She is proving that some women can do heavy work on the farm. She was city bred and did not know till a few weeks ago what a farm was, but it did not take her long to learn she could do real work, and she is going to stick it out till every crop is harvested. Maybe she will never return to the city.



First Baptist Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the First Baptist church will be entertained by Mrs. E. S. Whitlock, of 1620 Oak street on Wednesday afternoon. Visitors are always welcome.

St. Paul's Guild

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Mrs. R. A. Belse's sewing room over Hohman's for Red Cross work.

Catholic Foresters Aid

The Catholic Foresters Aid will meet with Mrs. Con. O'Brien, 409 South Broadway on Wednesday afternoon.

Depends on the Company.

As to whether one should walk alone, or in company, authorities differ. For instance, Robert Louis Stevenson said that the only way to enjoy a walk is to take it alone. On the other hand, Mark Twain declared that the chief enjoyment of a walk lies, not in the walk itself, but in the talking that accompanies it.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

CHINA IS SENDING TROOPS

Hopes to Have Forty Thousand Men in France Soon.

An Atlantic Port, April 30.—Captain Ting Chai Chen, military counselor to the president of China, arrived here on a French steamer. He said that China now is sending troops to France to fight for the Allies.

Captain Ting, who is a graduate of West Point, for some time has been in Europe as military observer. He said it is the calculation of the Peking government to have no fewer than 40,000 fighting men with the French by early summer.

—BUY W. S. S.—

Yankees Honored for Bravery.

Washington, April 30.—Five more members of the American ambulance service have been cited by the French military authorities for bravery. The French war cross was awarded to each. The men named are First Lieutenant Otha P. Doherty and Private Charles V. Tompkins, Richard J. Baker, James T. Jones and John W. Wood. The decorations have been awarded to the war department to be transmitted to the state department with the request that they be retained until Congress accepts them.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION REQUIRES REPORT ON FLOUR SUPPLIES BE MADE BY MAY 1

To the People of Minnesota:

The Federal Food Administration hereby requires everyone who has more than 30 days' supply of wheat flour to return the flour at once to the dealer or miller from whom it was purchased or report to his County Food Administrator. This order applies to every one no matter when or how the flour was obtained. Thirty days' supply is determined on the basis of 6 lbs. for each member of the household. A family of four may have 24½ lbs. of wheat flour, and a family of eight, 49 lbs. Substitutes may be purchased in any amounts desired.

It is not assumed that having an excess of flour on hand makes one a hoarder. It does not. In normal times it is an indication of thrift and sensible buying to purchase flour in reasonably large quantities. We do not want any one who is following his normal methods and has an excess of flour on hand to feel in any way that he has done wrong. He has not.

NEED OF FLOUR GREAT.

But conditions now are far from normal, hence this call. America and the Allies are short of wheat and wheat flour. The Allies are driven desperately for food. We are under obligations to furnish the food. Shipping facilities are limited. Bread they must have and bread we must furnish them. The government must know how much flour there is in the country and where it is. Our own people must use other foods which we have in abundance and save flour.

HOARDING.

Any one who insists on keeping more than one month's supply of flour is using more than 6 lbs. per person per month is considered a hoarder and will be dealt with accordingly. Hoarding of necessary foods is punishable by a fine of \$5,000 or imprisonment for two years or both. It is hoped that no one in Minnesota will place himself in the hoarder class. We beg of the people to respond at once to this call and on or before May 1st, 1918, to dispose of any excess flour or report to their County Food Administrator as follows:

Name

P. O. Address.....

No. in Family..... Amount of wheat Flour.....lbs.

Fill in, Cut Out and Mail to Food Administrator in Your County.

A. D. Wilson
Federal Food Administrator for Minnesota.

Andrew E. Berglund
Crow Wing County Food Administrator
Brainerd, Minn

Winning His Way

By CECILIE LANGDON

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"Yes, Mr. Burton, Saturday is my first pay day, so you can count on twenty dollars, two weeks' salary," announced Archie Rand.

His bright, grateful face told how glad and willing he was to show his recognition of the goodness of the man who had found him ill, ragged, homeless and half starved on the public streets. He had taken him to his room, shared it with him and had, indeed, proven a little brother of the poor.

Burton had made Archie take a good rest. When rehabilitated in health, he had secured him a place as messenger in the bank where he himself worked on the books.

"You needn't start in paying, Archie," said Burton, "until you get on your feet. You will feel better to have a little money in your pocket. Let it go over until the first of the month."

"Not while you need—" began Archie, and paused abruptly.

"Not while I need what?" questioned Burton.

"Well, I'll out with it, and I hope you won't be offended. I overheard you talking with a friend, Mr. Wade, and you said that you couldn't go to a party both of you had been invited to, because you wasn't togged up right. And you felt pretty bad. I saw that, for there was a young lady you liked to meet—don't get mad at me now."

"I'm not, Archie," spoke Burton, a slight flush upon his face. "On the contrary I appreciate your kindly thoughtfulness."

"Then take the twenty and get a new suit," broke in Archie impetuously.

"Not this time," dissented Burton. He did not tell Archie that he was in debt, that such apparel as he required would not come in a cheap category. Abruptly he caught Archie by the arm, for, as the latter turned, sticking out of a pocket Burton observed the butt end of a revolver.

"Why, how is this, Archie?" he inquired seriously.

"Oh, the automatic," said Archie, and actually with a smile of pride. "That's all right, Mr. Burton. You know when the bank sends currency to another bank its placed in a stout valise, chained to my wrist. The bank policeman goes with me. Of course he's armed and a thief couldn't grab the valise without pulling me along with it, but if some of those gun men should put the officer out of commission where would I be? So I got one of the bank clerks to loan me the revolver, only thinking of protecting the money. Why, only yesterday there was over fifty thousand dollars in one package I carried in that satchel."

Archie went to the bank and later old Tim, the bank policeman, called him to the currency vault. He locked a canvas metal-bound satchel, to Archie's wrist.

"It's a half-million, sonny," he said, "for the Central National. Come on."

They reached the street. Usually on like occasions they walked to the Central, for it was only five squares distant. Just as they reached the street, however, Tim made out the wagon that transferred gold and silver coin, starting away empty.

"Where are you bound for, Haskell?" inquired Tim.

"For the sub treasury."

"All right, drop us at the Central."

"Sure, that."

Haskell on the driver's seat, Tim helped Archie into the covered wagon, closed the rear wire screened door and took a standing position on the rear step. The wagon started. Two men, unobserved by Tim, followed in its wake. The streets were congested with traffic, and Haskell took a short cut down the half alley to get away from a street car blockade. Suddenly the wagon halted. There was a cry—a second.

"Now then, speed her up for all you're worth," sounded a gruff, unfamiliar voice, and rising to his feet and peering through the screened rear window of the vehicle, Archie made an amazing discovery. Back in the alley, prostrate lay Haskell. Just arising from the ground was Tim. A new driver was in his place and on the back step was a stranger.

"They've got us this time," muttered Archie. The wagon covered about a quarter of a mile, turned into a blind corner, halted, and Archie heard the driver jump down. The door was pulled open. Two rufianly figures shadowed the aperture. It was to draw back dismayed for, facing them, revolver in hand, was the doughty messenger lad.

"Back out from here, hands up, or I'll pepper you," declaimed Archie. Then, as the men retreated, crestfallen, Archie fired in the air—once, twice, thrice. The men vanished.

"And the president of the bank gave me a five hundred dollar bill," narrated Archie to Burton, later, "and you take it and pay yourself the hundred I owe you, and say, Mr. Burton, get that dress suit and go to the party, won't you?"

Which Burton did, and seemed unusually happy after that, and a month later said to Archie one day:

"I'm going to start housekeeping soon, Archie, and I wanted to know if we shall arrange to have a room for you."



A. D. S. Almond Cream both feeds and beautifies the skin.

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What Does The Passer-by Think of Your House?

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—the most lasting, dependable, economical paint obtainable. The color-tones defy both time and weather. The shades are absolutely true and uniform. The ingredients are pure and the formula (printed on the label and guaranteed) is acknowledged the highest standard of value.

If there were a better paint made we would not be recommending Minnesota. Call and see the new color suggestions.

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Cuyuna Transportation Co. offers quick service between Brainerd, Crosby, Ironton and Riverton, three round trips daily.

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BRAINERD WOMAN'S DIET

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IF KIDNEYS ACT. BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

* Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1918.



Your Flag and my Flag!
 And, oh, how much it holds
 Of your Land and my Land
 Safe within its folds.
 Your heart and my heart
 Beat quicker at the sight;
 Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
 The Red, the Blue and White!
 The one Flag—the Great Flag—
 The Flag for me and you—
 Glorified the whole world wide—
 The Red, the White, the Blue!

FLAG ON BATTLELINE

Old Glory Holds Place on Sector in iPCardy.

Yankoes Relieve French in Blocking Great Drive By Germans—Are in Open Country.

With the American Army in Northern France, April 30.—Taking over a sector in the heart of the world's greatest battle, American troops are now fighting beside the French in northern France.

BUY W. S. S.—This announcement is now possible, after three weeks silence regarding the movement of troops. Infantry, artillery, machine gunners, and other branches of the service are in line. The Americans face the German army at the peak of German salient. The outposts are only 200 yards apart at some places. At some points the American positions are maintained in shell holes.

Americans Command Sector. As soon as all guns and troops were in position the sector was formally taken over from the French. The American commander, who is under a French corps commander, expressed the greatest confidence in the French leadership.

The entire country here is open and rolling with very few woods or other screening facilities, and no trenches. The entire problem is one of open fighting.

Although the French characterized this sector "quiet," the present fire is the heaviest the Americans have yet faced.

Refuge in Shell Holes.

The skies are ablaze every night with the flash of guns and the air quivers with the roar of artillery and exploding shells. As the high explosive pound the American lines, the soldiers dive into the shallow cover of ditches and shell holes.

One American outfit carried its flag into the front line. Although ferried in a waterproof case, Old Glory is on the battlefield.

BUY W. S. S.

U. S. SHIP IS TORPEDOED

All Except Three of 250 on Board Are Saved.

London, April 30.—A party of 57 American army Young Men's Christian association workers, under Arthur E. Hungerford, arrived in London. The ship on which they sailed was torpedoed and sank in 12 minutes. All the passengers and all but three of the crew were saved and landed at a British port. The Americans are all safe and well. They were taken in charge by the American Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross.

The number on board the vessel was about 250.

Destroyers went to the rescue immediately and all the lifeboats were picked up within half an hour.

The vessel was struck amidships, while proceeding in a large convoy, under the protection of destroyers. It was steaming at about 10 knots in bright moonlight. Three minutes later the boilers blew up.

GARDEN PLANTING TABLE FOR MINNESOTA

(Issued by Federal Food Administration of Minnesota, prepared by R. S. Mackintosh, Agricultural Extension Division, University of Minnesota.)
 This table gives brief cultural notes regarding the vegetables that can be grown here. The planting dates cannot be made more exact because the seasons change from year to year and local conditions are not uniform.

	Length of Row for Average Family of Four	Seeds or Plants Required for 100 Feet of Row	Distance for Plants to Stand				Depth to Plant	Time to Plant		Ready for Use After Planting
			Rows Apart		Plants to Row			Seeds or Plants		
			Horse Cultivation	Hand Cultivation	Apart	in Rows		Seeds or Plants		
								Hotbed	Open Ground	
Feet										
*Asparagus, plants.....	100	90 to 80	3 to 5 ft.	2 to 3 ft.	18 to 24 in.	3 to 7 in.	.....	Early Spring	2 to 3 years
*Beans, bush.....	100	1 pint	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	5 or 8 to 7 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	April to July	30 to 65 days
*Beans, pole.....	50	1 pint	3 to 4 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	1 to 2 in.	.....	May and June	30 to 80 days
*Beets.....	25	2 ounces	24 to 36 in.	12 to 18 in.	5 or 6 to 7 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	April to August	60 to 80 days	
*Brussels Sprouts.....	50	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	16 to 24 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	May and June	90 to 120 days	
*Cabbage early.....	25	4 ounces	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	12 to 18 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	March and April	90 to 130 days	
*Cabbage late.....	25	4 ounces	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	12 to 18 in.	1 to 2 in.	April	May and June	90 to 130 days	
*Carrot.....	100	1 ounce	24 to 30 in.	16 to 24 in.	2 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	Seed Bed May	90 to 90 days
*Cauliflower.....	40	4 ounces	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	16 to 20 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	April to June	100 to 130 days	
*Celery.....	50	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	3 to 4 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	May and June	100 to 150 days	
*Cider.....	100	8 ounces	3 to 6 ft.	18 to 36 in.	1 to 1 1/2 in.	1 to 2 in.	March or April	May to June	90 to 90 days	
*Corn, sweet.....	400	4 pint	30 to 42 in.	24 to 30 in.	24 to 36 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	May to July	90 to 100 days
*Cucumber.....	40	3 ounces	1 to 6 ft.	4 to 6 ft.	4 to 6 in.	1 to 2 in.	April	May and June	90 to 80 days	
*Eggplant.....	20	2 ounces	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	15 to 24 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	June	100 to 140 days
*Endive.....	20	1 ounce	30 in.	18 in.	8 to 12 in.	1 in.	.....	April and July	90 to 120 days
*Horse-radish.....	20	70 roots	36 in.	24 to 30 in.	15 to 20 in.	3 to 4 in.	.....	Early Spring	1 to 2 years
*Kale.....	15	4 ounces	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	18 to 24 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	July and August	90 to 90 days
*Kohlrabi.....	25	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	4 to 8 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	April and May	90 to 80 days
*Lentils.....	25	2 ounces	30 to 36 in.	14 to 20 in.	4 to 8 in.	1 in.	.....	April and May	120 to 150 days
*Lettuce.....	25	2 ounces	30 to 36 in.	12 to 18 in.	4 to 6 in.	1 in.	March	April to September	30 to 80 days	
*Mushrooms.....	100	2 ounces	3 to 8 ft.	12 to 18 in.	4 to 6 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	May and June	120 to 120 days
*Okra, or Gumbo.....	25	2 ounces	4 to 5 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	24 to 30 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	March	90 to 140 days
*Onion, seed.....	100	1 ounce	24 to 30 in.	12 to 18 in.	2 to 3 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	.....	120 to 150 days
*Onion, sets.....	40	1 quart	24 to 30 in.	12 to 18 in.	2 to 3 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	.....	90 to 120 days
*Parsley.....	5	4 ounces	24 to 30 in.	12 to 18 in.	4 to 6 in.	1 in.	March	Early Spring	120 to 130 days	
*Parsnip.....	50	2 ounces	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	2 to 3 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	April and May	90 to 150 days
*Peas.....	300	1 to 2 pints	30 to 36 in.	30 to 36 in.	15 to 20 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	March to June	90 to 80 days
*Pepper.....	15	1/2 ounce	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	15 to 20 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	May and June	100 to 140 days	
*Potatoes.....	40	5 pounds	30 to 36 in.	24 to 30 in.	15 to 24 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	April to June	90 to 150 days
*Pumpkin.....	10	1/2 ounce	8 to 12 ft.	5 to 8 ft.	8 to 12 ft.	1 to 2 in.	.....	March	90 to 100 days
*Radish.....	25	1 ounce	24 to 36 in.	10 to 16 in.	1 to 2 in.	1 to 2 in.	March	March to September	30 to 40 days	
*Rhubarb, plants.....	40	43 roots	3 to 5 ft.	3 to 5 ft.	3 ft.	2 to 3 in.	.....	Autumn or Early Spring	1 to 2 years
*Rutabaga.....	40	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	6 to 8 in.	1 to 2 in.	.....	March	90 to 150 days
*Salsify.....	25	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	6 to 8 in.	1 in.	.....	Early Spring	120 to 180 days
*Spinach.....	150	1 ounce	30 to 36 in.	10 to 16 in.	1 to 2 in.	1 in.	.....	April and September	30 to 60 days
*Squash, bush.....	50	12 ounces	3 to 4 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 4 ft.	1 to 2 in.	March	May and June	90 to 80 days	
*Squash, late.....	50	12 ounces	7 to 10 ft.	7 to 10 ft.	7 to 9 ft.	1 to 2 in.	March	May and June	120 to 120 days	
*Swiss Chard.....	20	2 ounces	24 to 36 in.	18 to 24 in.	3 to 6 in.	1 in.	.....	April and May	90 to 120 days
*Tomato.....	25	4 ounces	3 to 5 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	3 ft.	1 to 2 in.	March	May to July	90 to 140 days	
*Turnip.....	25	1/2 ounce	24 to 30 in.	18 to 24 in.	1 in.	1 in.	.....	April and July	90 to 120 days
*Watermelon.....	100	1 ounce	8 to 12 ft.	8 to 12 ft.	8 to 10 ft.	2 in.	.....	May and June	100 to 120 days

*The most important vegetables or the ones that should be in every garden.

General plantings of many of these vegetables may be made to maintain the supply. For example there may be 2 of bush beans and beets, from 3 to 5 of corn, and so on.
 The average date of the last killing frost in the spring is April 26, and the first killing frost in the fall is October 8. Frosts may be expected as late as June 1 or as early as September 1.

DEATH IS ALWAYS PRESENT

In the Trenches a Point Is Reached Beyond Which Emotion Will Not React.

It is the dinner hour—12 m.—in the trenches. Round a fire bucket sit six men, mess tins in hand, hastily eating a meal. A stranger wanders by from a neighboring traverse, and halts at the sight of the six.

"Cottage pie, 'ave ye? My eye, but some blokes is lucky. Where did ye get the spuds?"

"Back in billets, ol' dear. Got 'em out of the ol' madame for 'elping to chop up 'er wood. 'Ave a bite?"

The invitation comes after a pause, reluctantly. Food is very precious on the front.

"Ah don't mind if ah do."

Down he squats with the six others, and the meal proceeds quickly, in silence. Cottage pie is a treat, made by trench artists in cooking.

Not a word is spoken. Then suddenly through the silence, quite close to the ear, come a prolonged hiss, a bang, followed by a cloud of smoke, and up spatters the earth over our seven silent friends, covering them with stray bits of mud. A "pipsqueak" has hit the trench.

In a second it is all over. Recovering, they look around. At the end of the traverse they see the visitor lying sideways, a mess tin still clutched in his hand.

"Got 'is," comments one man, who has gone to turn him over.

"Why the h— didn't he stay where he belonged?"

Callous? No doubt. But then, it happens every day. There must be some point beyond which emotion will refuse to react—else these men would long since have died of their own sympathy.—Capt. A. P. Corcoran in Every Week.

Times Had Changed.

"Why are the stars so dim tonight?" she cooed, softly.

"Because your eyes are so much brighter," he whispered, pressing her little hand.

They were engaged then.

"I wonder how many telegraph poles it would take to reach from here to the stars?" she murmured, uningly.

"One if it were long enough," he growled. "Why don't you talk common sense?"

That was after they were married.

FURS COMMAND HIGH PRICES

More Than Ever Are Pelts of Animals Coming to Be Considered Articles of Luxury.

The high cost of living has a desirable running mate in the high cost of ornamental wearing apparel which has suddenly dawned in another article climbing up to a price never dreamed of in the luxury of adorning one's self with a pelt of some favorite animal skillfully made up for the trade.

For instance, the coyote has jumped in a raw state to as high as \$10 and not lower than \$5. The detestable skunk of odoriferous renown, also clips \$5.50 for his covering, while the wildcat is now in a rating as high as \$12.50 and as low as \$7. The little fox goes for \$4.50, and even the jack rabbit leaps away at 7 cents per pelt.

The above prices were given in a circular received by J. H. Drew, and came from a St. Louis furrier house. The legal bounty in Arizona is only \$2 for the coyote and lesser sums for the fox and wildcat. In consequence, the county is receiving at the present time but a limited number of pelts, and the animal department is practically abolished. Meatless and wheatless days ordained will soon include hideless days, unless peace negotiations are soon realized.—Prescott Journal-Miner.

KAISER THREATENS RUSS

Demands Exchange of Well Prisoners for Sick Slaves.

Washington, April 30.—Germany has demanded of Russia an exchange of prisoners and has threatened to take Petrograd unless the Russian government agrees to the terms advanced, the state department here has learned.

The German government, the state department's dispatches said, is sending to Russia a commission of 115 members to present the Germans' demands.

The German demand as outlined calls for the immediate release of all German prisoners who are in good health; that those who are ill shall remain in Russia, under the care of neutral physicians and that the Germans on their side will release only those Russian prisoners who are ill or are incapacitated.

BUY W. S. S.

Would Employ Disabled Soldiers.

Washington, April 30.—Federal employment of disabled soldiers and sailors of the United States forces is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Harrison of Mississippi. The bill would give preference to them in filling clerical and other vacancies.

BUY W. S. S.

Kaiser Expresses Confidence.

Amsterdam, April 30.—We are conquering militarily and economically, Emperor William says in a manifesto addressed to Chancellor von Hertling. "We have before us, though not an easy, a strong future," the statement says, dealing with the 1917 report of the reichsbank. "I am glad to be able to express this, coming fresh from the battlefield, and under the impression created by our irresistible advance. Our unparalleled success we certainly owe above all to the divine Grace."

URUGUAY AGAIN INQUIRES

Asks Germany Whether Two Countries Art At War.

Montevideo, April 30.—The Uruguayan government has again requested from Germany a definite reply to the query, previously forwarded, as to whether Germany considers a state of war existing between the two countries.

Germany's answer to Uruguay's first request evades this point, but in the meantime the Uruguayan foreign minister declines to discuss the matter.

A recent London dispatch reported on the authority of Berlin advices that Uruguay expected to declare war on Germany at an early date. The German newspapers had been notified to prepare the public for this development.

Two Saved by Heroic Officer.

Hanging by his feet from the edge of the deck and stretching his arms to two struggling men in a terrific sea, an officer of the United States navy made a heroic rescue during the fierce gale which swept the coast early in December. In the midst of a north-east gale, which had the ship almost on her side, a quartermaster was washed overboard while trying to clear the steering gear. The sea was running mad and he soon became exhausted.

Tying a line about his waist the ship's cook jumped overboard and succeeded in getting the man to the side off the ship. It was then that Lieut. Richard L. Connolly, U. S. N., swung himself over the rail, and, catching his feet to the edge, let himself head down to the struggling men. One grasped his outstretched hands and he drew them up until they were pulled aboard. Connolly is from Waukegan, Ill.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

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High Class Vaudeville between Acts including

THE FAMOUS BOSTON QUARTET

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This Company will be Here Every Tuesday

HE WAS IN AN EARTH QUAKE

Howard R. Lowe Writes of California Quake Impressions to Father, George E. Lowe

2 DIED OF HEART DISEASE

Shock Lasted Minute, Coaches Shook Up and Down and Train Nearly Went Into the Ditch

In a letter to his father, George E. Lowe of this city, Howard R. Lowe, railway clerk of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, San Diego, California, describes the recent earthquake experienced on the coast. He writes, in part:

"A few lines to let you know that I am still alive and survived the earthquake shock. But take it from your son, Howard, I don't want any more in mine. I had just got on the train at Indio at 3:35 p. m. April 21 to come here (San Diego) when it struck us.

"The coach started to shake up and down and go sideways, all at the same time, and for a few seconds it seemed as though it was going to topple over every time it swayed. It did not last more than a minute. But it was the most exciting minute that I ever put in in all my life.

"Sea sickness is nothing compared with it. The water tank nearly went over and it was very fortunate that it did not, as it was opposite a coach and the car was full of passengers. Some one would have surely got hurt if it had. I did not think that I could ever get so excited that I would not know what to do. But I did that time.

"There was no one hurt at Indio. One girl fainted and the chimney on the depot fell down. We got as far as Palm Springs which is about ten miles from Indio and were held up two hours while they ran a light engine out to test the track. Palm Springs is only three miles from the foot of San Jacinto mountain where the disturbance started.

"The two little towns of Hemet and San Jacinto are directly back of this mountain and they were almost a total wreck. So we got it pretty bad at Indio. Los Angeles did not experience the shock that we did or there would have been more damage done to the large brick buildings. All that I saw was a couple of big plate glass windows broken. Two people died from the shock on account of weak hearts.

—BUY W. S. S.—
FOR RED CROSS

Basket Supper and Free Dance at Old Creamery at Wick's School Maple Grove

On Thursday, May 9, there will be a basket supper and free dance at the old creamery at the Wick's school house in District No. 23, Maple Grove township. Everybody is invited, young and old. Ladies will bring baskets and the gentlemen their pocketbooks. This is all for the Red Cross.

—BUY W. S. S.—
CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown us upon the death of our brother Joseph Berg and wish especially to thank the men of the Northern Pacific store room for floral tributes and sympathy.

OLE BERG, Brainerd
JOHN BERG, Duluth

OH-H! BOYS!!



I never was so happy in life, likewise the kiddies and the wife as since I bought a Liberty Lot and built thereon my little cot. I'm through with renting and moving 'round. I'm settled now on my own ground. I'm proud to own a piece of land. The satisfaction beats the band.

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Sells homes and lots and helps build on your terms.

COMMITTEES OF CHAMBER COMMERCE

"Service for the Community" is the Slogan of the Brainerd Organization

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

President is Dr. J. A. Thabes, Vice President W. H. Gemmell, Secretary Fred T. Lincoln

"Service for the Community" is the slogan of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce. Its officers are President Dr. J. A. Thabes, vice president W. H. Gemmell, treasurer F. A. Farrar and secretary Fred T. Lincoln.

Advisory meetings are held at the call of the president. The committee on committees includes Dr. J. A. Thabes, chairman, George D. LaBar, S. R. Adair, Edward Crust, O. A. Peterson, W. A. Spencer and H. P. Dunn. The complete list of committees has been announced as follows:

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Home Building and Improvement—A. G. Trommald, chairman; P. B.

BUNTS FROM THE DIAMOND

The Little Falls Red Cross team had a practice game scheduled Sunday and Manager Newman expected either Ft. Ripley or Rice Lake. The Little Falls lineup included Tanner catcher, Sundstrom and Newman pitchers, Bardon first base, Stoll second, Beaumont third, Smith shortstop and H. Ploof, Kidder, M. Newman, Mark Miller and Gannon in the field. Les Bush won his game at Philadelphia Saturday 4 to 1.

Nettleton, W. A. Spencer, Milton Mahlum, G. P. O'Brien, Edward Wicklund, Lars Ericsson, J. A. Evert, A. T. Fisher, Ed. Levant.

County Development—E. A. Colquhoun, chairman; L. P. Hall, P. M. Zakariassen, H. W. Linnemann, H. F. Michael, Peter A. Stendal, John T. Hurley.

War Activities—R. A. Beise, chairman; R. R. Wise, Carl Zapffe, F. A. Farrar, E. A. Colquhoun, H. F. Michael, H. P. Dunn, J. P. Anderson, L. P. Hall, P. J. Oberst.

—BUY W. S. S.—

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Mary Walsh

Elizabeth Walsh

Severt Olson

Mabel A. Fall

A. C. Erickson

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Mrs. Thomas Brisbane

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Kathrine Gemmell

Robert W. Gemmell

Chas. H. Cooper

George Fricke

Mrs. Minnie Peiro

N. C. Jensen

Mrs. H. H. Baker

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Isabelle Spalding

Royal Arcanum

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Mrs. T. E. Welsh

August Swanson

H. Grossman

Azma Hanson

Lawrence Nelson

Clarence Norgard

K. A. Gustafson

Myron Mickelson

E. B. Stacy

W. J. Lowrie

Charles Peterson

—BUY W. S. S.—

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Rev. P. Alfred Peterson of Swedish Baptist Church, Honored by Congregation

Rev. P. Alfred Peterson, pastor of the Swedish Baptist church, was happily surprised by the church and its many friends Monday evening. As he walked into the church to take charge of the business meeting, he found the church basement filled with people and Emil Gustafson at the table.

Just as Mr. Peterson entered, Miss Esther Erickson played a march, while the pastor was escorted to a front seat. Mr. Gustafson explained why they had gathered. Then followed a program. Addresses were given by Aug. Anderson and P. G. Sandberg, singing by the stringband and choir. At the close of the program the chairman, Emil Gustafson, gave the pastor a purse with valuable contents. After a few remarks by the pastor, refreshments were served and an exceptionally happy social hour was spent.

—BUY W. S. S.—

BLACK DIAMOND TRAIL

Meeting with Aitkin County Commissioners to Improve the Road Through Aitkin County

At a meeting to be held with Aitkin county commissioners this afternoon officials of the Black Diamond Trail association sought to have the road through Aitkin county improved.

Brainerd was represented by President Henry I. Cohen; Wadena by Secretary W. E. Verity and Duluth sent L. B. Arnold and Mr. Philatravitt.

—BUY W. S. S.—

NOTICE TO CLEAN UP

City Ordinance will be Strictly Enforced

Notice is hereby given that property owners and tenants in the City of Brainerd, Minn., must have their premises cleaned up and all source of filth removed from same before Friday, May 31, 1918.

After May 31, premises not found to be in a sanitary healthful condition, warrants will be served against those who have not cleaned up by the above date, the same as last summer.

B. E. KOECHER,
Sanitary Police.

CLIPPED FROM PRESS NEIGHBORS

Dewey's Short Stay
Dewey Morical visited school for a few minutes Tuesday—High School Notes Walker Pilot.

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Sylvia Ate Sauerkraut

Sylvia Olson came down from Benedict to join a bunch of young girls who gave a picnic Sunday. This time the main feature of the lunch was weiners and sauerkraut. Some of the girls acted as fire-builders, others as cooks, water carriers, fuel providers and waitresses. The day was ideal for snaps and the girls made good use of their cameras. Helen Crow got off duty and came out to lunch. The party broke up about five o'clock and everyone trudged home, tired and weary, but all the happier for having gone.—High School Notes, Walker Pilot.

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Opal Snell

Opal Snell is washing the curtains of the fifth grade room this week.—General School News, Pine River Sentinel-Blaze.

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Coffins, Furniture, Fords

Jay P. Brewer, the local undertaker and furniture dealer, went to Minneapolis the first of the week. He will return with several Ford cars, being the local agent here.—Pine River Sentinel-Blaze.

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Versatile Henry

J. J. Allen, the local pharmacist is visiting in the southern part of the state on matters of business. In the meantime Henry Leaf, whose versatility fits him for most any place, is looking after the business.—Pine River Sentinel-Blaze.

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Otherwise There was No Damage

Saturday morning the Hill City train was wrecked a mile and a half east of Rabey. It was caused by rails spreading. Five freight cars and the front truck of the coach were derailed and one of the cars tipped over into the ditch. Aside from the time lost in block traffic there was very little damage done.—Hill City News.

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Live Times Reported

Sam Wildasin, J. H. White and Mike Murray drove to Foley, Minn., their home, in Sam's car Sunday, returning Monday. All report live times at Foley, Little Falls, and other wet towns along the roadside.—Hacksack News.

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Satisfactorily Explained

Probably the reason why lightning never strikes twice in the same place is because the place isn't there after the first strike.—Case County Pioneer

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Will They Set Them Back?

Emil Johnson was given damages of \$5 in his case against Emil Rosenberg and August Nelson, who at the order of the town board of Darling, removed 48 fence posts, which it was claimed was in the roadway.—Little Falls Herald.

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The Drys Have It

By a decision of Judge Roeser Sauk Centre remains dry by two votes.—Little Falls Herald.

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The Wets Have It

Sauk Centre will remain in the wet column by a tie vote. This is the decision of Judge Roeser.—Hubbard County Journal.

—BUY W. S. S.—

CHARGED WITH TAKING BRASS

Police Report Two Cases to be Heard in Municipal Court This Afternoon

Fred Goltz and Martin Sorenson, charged with taking six sacks of brass from Northern Pacific shops, were to appear in municipal court this afternoon to answer the charge. Special Agents swore out the complaint.

—BUY W. S. S.—

DO YOU WAKE UP IN THE MORNING WITH A PAIN IN THE BACK

Many people are suffering from direct kidney and bladder poisoning and do not know what ails them. One of the best symptoms of kidney trouble is a quick pain that lies in the back and is most noticeable in the morning as the bladder is filled at such a time. Golden Seal Blood Purifier flushes the system of all impurities and they pass off through the bladder. Golden Seal Blood Purifier is in liquid form, acts quickly as it goes into the stomach in a thoroughly soluble form and in this way is much better than pills.

Golden Seal Blood Purifier is sold in this city only at Johnson's Pharmacy.—Advt.

OLD PAPERS FOR SALE—5 CENTS

Brainerd Dispatch

Hats Worth Up to \$7.50 Now at But \$3.98

We offer a special lot of trimmed hats at a marked reduction. The lot includes, pretty shapes, mostly colored trimmed with flowers, ribbons ornaments and feathers. Some very pretty tailored hats in the lot.

The hats in the lot were worth up to \$7.50---your choice of the lot \$3.98.

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Your Credit is Good at Clark's—Wherever You Live
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There is only one sure way to do it, and that is by buying a Real Refrigerator. The few dollars difference in price between a good one and a poor one can be readily saved in a season.

And, as usual Clark's handle the best—in a wide Range of prices and patterns. Please let us demonstrate their superiority.

That 2 inch continuous post iron bed in white or vernis martin, which created such comment during our recent sale is offered for tomorrow only, at \$6.35. We defy competition on it.

The display of drapes and Oriental Rugs, will continue tomorrow. Take advantage of Brainerd's first opportunity to buy such goods at country prices.

IMPOSSIBLE TO STOP WORK

Why Even One Day's Closing of Vinegar Factories Would Mean Immense Loss to the Owners.

One vinegar factory at Philadelphia has been in continuous operation twenty-four hours a day every day of the year for fifty-two years and another for forty years.

This fact was brought out when the owners of the factories appealed from the fuel administrator's order closing industries for certain periods to save coal.

Vinegar experts testified that to stop making vinegar would ruin the tanks in which it is manufactured. Alcohol is placed in tanks lined and packed with beech shavings. If the generating process is halted the shavings are dried out or burned up and are useless.

To stop for a day would mean closing six months, said a large manufacturer. Much of the present output of vinegar at Philadelphia is used in making explosives.

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INDICATES EARLY CALL

Men in Class 1 Will Be Made Available for Service at Once.

Instructions Are Sent Out By Adjutant General Rhinow For An Immediate Survey.

St. Paul, April 30.—Adjutant General Rhinow, acting on instructions from the war department at Washington, has ordered an immediate survey of all men in Minnesota in Class 1 under the selective draft law.

Identical instructions were sent to every adjutant general in the country, dispatches from various cities indicated.

This order was interpreted by Minneapolis draft officials to herald an unparalleled induction of men into the army, perhaps a call for all available men in Class 1. This opinion was foreshadowed in Secretary Baker's weekly war review, which declared that the great battle now raging on the western front had resolved itself into a question of man power and that it was the imperative duty of America to furnish the Allied reserve.

Every Minneapolis draft board is busy compiling lists of men available for immediate service.

Dispatches from Washington said there were indications that efforts will be made to add 1,000,000 to the army at the earliest possible time, supplementing the 1,500,000 already with the colors and 800,000 previously scheduled to be mobilized this year. The result would be the necessity of providing new funds for a force of more than 3,000,000.

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ASSAULT IS GENERAL

Hills About Mount Kemmel Bombarded in Attempt to Make Gains Toward Ypres, Apparent German Objective.

London, April 30.—Germany's supreme blow designed to capture Ypres ended in failure, according to the report of Field Marshal Haig. After a tremendous bombardment, the French and British positions between Meteren and Zillebeke were powerfully attacked.

The Germans lost heavily, but the British line held absolutely. At a few points the Germans gained a foothold in the French positions, only to be driven out later.

As a result "Suicide Corner"—the Ypres bend—remains unbroken and many thousands of picked German fighters who tried to test the truth of the name are dead or wounded.

With the British Army in France, April 30.—(By Associated Press.)—May 1.—(By Associated Press.)—The Allied front in Flanders is being heavily attacked by the fourth German army. Prisoners taken say the object is the capture of Ypres. The attack covers a front of about 15 miles and severe fighting occurs on both British and French fronts.

British troops around Ypres several times sent up "S. O. S." signals for artillery support. The tremendous German bombardments point to the certainty of a German attempt to advance.

The Belgians on the Ypres front also are reported to have been attacked.

General Assault Spurred.

The Germans have begun what seems to be a general assault on the British hill positions on the Kemmel front southwest of Ypres, opening a new phase of the great drive in Flanders. Apparently the crucial test of the Allied holding power in this area is at hand.

The preliminary bombardment, took in a 10 mile front from Meteren, west of Baillieu, to Vormezele, two miles south of Ypres. Infantry attacks in this area developed shortly afterwards and the battle appears to have been on in earnest when Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's report was issued in London.

Vormezele Is Pressed.

The enemy has been striking with great fury at Vormezele the last two or three days, evidently hoping to drive in behind Ypres and break British from the further positions of the Ypres salient which they have been evacuating.

General von Arnim has been successfully held off from this southern bulwark of the salient, but meanwhile he has been preparing to take advantage of the success he won last week in the capture of Mount Kemmel, which he was unable to develop immediately because of the stiff Allied resistance.

French Hold Locre.

Further attacks in the Vormezele sector may accompany the delivery of this last blow, but the greatest force of this thrust seems likely to manifest itself in the vicinity of Locre, where Scharpenberg Mont Rouge, Mont Noir and other eminences are the enemy objectives.

The French, who are holding the line at Locre, fortified themselves by clinging to this village although more than once driven out by savage thrusts.

Amiens Front Shelled.

The enemy drove several times at the French positions in Hangard wood, east of Amiens, and heavily bombarded this sector north to Villers-Bretonneux. The infantry attacks were broken up by the French fire and the Allied artillery vigorously answered the German guns in this region and between Lassigny and Noyon, on the lower side of the Montdidier salient.

Bags Stcond German Plane.

Washington, April 30.—Lieutenant G. Defreest Larner, an American aviator, has brought down his second German airplane. Flying alone he attacked the German machine, killed the observer and shot the machine down in flames, killing the pilot, according to word which has been received in Washington. The action took place in the Oise river section where he was flying with the French armies on March 25.

Germany Pays For Internment.

Washington, April 30.—The keep of enemy aliens interned by the United States must be paid by the Swiss and Swedish legations for the German government, the state department announced. Law abiding enemy aliens who become objects of charity will be cared for by a national committee to be formed to raise subscriptions. The families of interned enemy aliens also are to be supported by the German government through the Swiss and Swedish legations, the department announcement said.

SENATE PASSES OVERMAN BILL

Measure Is Given Approval in Upper House by Decisive Vote of 63 to 13.

RETAINS HIS POWERS

Amendments Designed to Limit Authority of President in Reorganizing Government Departments Are Defeated.

Washington, April 30.—The Overman bill, with its general grant of power for the president to co-ordinate and reorganize government departments and other agencies during the war, was passed by the Senate after all amendments to limit the executive authority were defeated.

The vote on the measure, which now goes to the house, was 63 to 13, many senators who opposed the administration in the long fight over proposed amendments joining the majority when the test came on final passage.

One Democrat Against Bill.

Only one democrat, Senator Reed, of Missouri, voted against the bill. Republicans who voted against it were Brandegee, Cummin, Dillingham, France, Gallinger, Harding, Johnson, of California, Knox, Poindexter, Sherman, Sterling and Sutherland.

Republicans Sought Amendments.

Nearly all of the 22 Republicans voting to pass the bill had before the final roll call supported amendments to circumscribe the president's power, generally, to war functions. Those who continued their opposition to the final have based their attitude on the argument that the bill confers unnecessary autocratic powers upon the president and is unconstitutional.

Administration leaders championed the measure consistently and would not agree to any amendments limiting the president's authority.

The only amendments adopted in the senate were accepted by Senator Overman, in charge of the bill. One by Senator Wadsworth of New York, republican, would authorize the president to centralize authority over the aviation program in one executive officer and another by Senator Jones, republican, of Washington, limits the effect of reorganizations made under the bill to six months instead of one year after the war.

Provisions of Measure.

As passed by the Senate, the measure authorizes the President "to make such redistribution of functions among executive agencies as he may deem necessary," and to "utilize, co-ordinate and consolidate any executive or administrative commissions, bureaus, agencies, offices or offices now existing by law to transfer any duties or powers from one existing department or to transfer the personnel thereof." These powers, however, "shall be exercised only in matters relating to the conduct of the present war."

The measure also provides that, if the President believes any agency should be abolished, he shall report to Congress and Congress will arrange for transfer of appropriations in any reorganization, limiting their expenditure to the purposes specified by Congress.

Early consideration of the bill in the House is planned by administration leaders.

COAL FAMINE IS PROBABLE

Can Only Be Averted By Sufficient Supply of Cars.

Washington, April 30.—Unless a sufficient supply of cars be speedily furnished, nothing can avert a disastrous coal famine next winter and serious interference with the war program in the opinion of the National Coal association, representing the operators of the country.

The association calls upon the war industries board, "or whoever is running the war," to readjust railroad traffic so that coal can be mined, transported and stored for future use.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 30.—Oats, May, \$1.14c; July, 78½c.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, April 30.—Corn, May, \$1.27½; oats, May, \$1.51.

South St. Paul Livestock.

South St. Paul, April 30.—Cattle, Steers, \$7.50@16.35; cows, \$8@12; calves, \$7.50@12.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, April 30.—BUTTER—Creamery extras, per lb., 41c; extra firsts, 40c; firsts, 39c; seconds, 38c; dairy, 30c; packing stocks, 29c.

EGGS—Fresh prime firsts, new cases fresh, 33½c; current receipts, 32c; old, 31c; checks and seconds, 25c. Quotations on eggs include cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, fat, 10 lbs. and over, 25c; thin, small, 10@12c; cripples and culls, unsalable; old roosters, 18c; ducks, 20c; geese, 18c; 1917 roosters, 22@24c; hens, 3½ lbs. and over, 26c; under 3½ lbs., 25c.

BERLIN SHOWS SOME ANXIETY

Seeks Information Regarding Alleged Restoration of Monarchy in Russia.

WIRES TO PETROGRAD

New German Minister Is Requested To Forward All Available Facts to the Berlin Foreign Office.

Berlin, via London, April 30.—The under secretary for foreign affairs, Baron von Dem Basse, Haddenhausen, has wired Count von Mirbach, new German ambassador to Russia, for a report concerning truth of rumors that the monarchy had been restored and whether disorders existed.

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The under secretary refers to rumors which have come through Finland, and says that he has received a letter by a devious route from Petrograd, dated April 13, stating that a monarchist proclamation was imminent and that General Michael V. Alexeff, Alexander J. Guchkoff, Paul N. Milukoff and Michael V. Rodzianko, all identified with the Kerensky regime, are in Petrograd.

"All these concurring reports, which reach us from various sources, do not sound altogether probable. I beg you to wire me your report," he concluded.

The newest Russian government in Petrograd, according to the Aftonbladet of Copenhagen, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch, has denounced the Brest-Litovsk treaty with Germany. It calls for a new treaty, with Estonia under Russian rule.

Germany Denies Russ Charge.

Petrograd, Wednesday, April 24.—Via London, April 30.—General Count von Mirbach, the newly appointed German ambassador to Russia, presented his credentials to the Bolshevik government at Moscow today.

Simultaneously, the German government issued an angry denial of the recent Russian accusations that Germany had broken the Brest-Litovsk peace agreement by the continued advance of German troops into the Crimea.

It is declared here that the Russians will sink the Black sea fleet to prevent the warships falling into the hands of the Germans. Already a large part of the Russian crews has fled.

The Turkish ambassador and his staff also arrived at Moscow. It is stated the Turkish delegation has invited the Caucasian republic to send delegates to Trebizond, a Black sea port in Turkish Armenia, to negotiate peace with Turkey.

PRESIDENT APPOINTS BOARD

Nominates Four Men to Aid in Financing War Industries.

Washington, April 30.—President Wilson has nominated members of the new financing commission created by congress to determine on and render financial aid to war industries. Those named were:

William P. C. Harding, Alabama, present governor of the federal reserve board, for a term of two years.

Allen B. Forbes, New York, for two years.

Eugene Myer, Jr., New York, for a term of four years.

Angus W. McLean, North Carolina, for a term of four years.

At the same time the president nominated seven members of the permanent capital issues commission, which licenses the issuance of securities by private corporations, municipalities and individuals. They are Charles S. Hamlin, Massachusetts; John Skelton Williams, Virginia; Frederic A. Delano, Illinois; James B. Brown, Kentucky; John S. Drum, California; Henry C. Flower, Missouri; and Frederick H. Goff, Ohio.

GERMAN LOSSES DOUBLED

Enemy Is Losing Submarines at a Rapid Rate.

Rome, April 30.—Loss of German submarines during the last six weeks have been more than double the rate in January and February, according to advices from Zurich.

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Supreme Court Will Recess.

Washington, April 30.—The supreme court announces that arguments for the term will close Friday and that next Monday the court will recess two weeks for the preparation of opinions. Another recess for two weeks will be taken May 20. Opinions will be rendered on June 3 and July 10. The last for the term.

Bloodhounds Trail Slayer.

Rochester, Minn., April 30.—Bloodhounds, shipped here from Waterloo, Iowa, have taken up the trail of Thomas Armstrong, former city assessor, who escaped Thursday night after murdering his wife and shooting his 14 year old stepson, on a farm six miles south. Armstrong's father, who arrived a week ago from Philadelphia with hopes of settling the family troubles, says his son had not removed his clothes for more than a week. He believes the slayer is insane.



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